

June 18, 2004

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Michael Bremer  
2045 Woodcrest Drive  
Lynchburg, VA 24503  
384-0101

## **A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF FREEDOM FLAGS FOR VIRGINIA SCHOOLS**

By virtue of the authority vested by the General Assembly in the City Council of Lynchburg, there is hereby officially recognized:

### **FREEDOM FLAGS FOR VIRGINIA SCHOOLS**

**WHEREAS**, on September 11, 2001, terrorists launched an inexcusable attack on the United States, causing great destruction and horrific suffering; and

**WHEREAS**, Richard Nicholas Melito, A Virginia resident, created a Freedom Flag on September 20, 2001; and

**WHEREAS**, The Virginia Historical Society adopted the Freedom Flag on November 12, 2001, for inclusion in a memorial exhibit on the September 11 attack on the Pentagon in the fall of 2002; and

**WHEREAS**, in May 2002, Mr. Melito established a nonprofit charitable organization, the Freedom Flag Foundation, to facilitate the distribution of Freedom Flags to help educate children about September 11, and to foster the establishment of a national symbol of remembrance; and

**WHEREAS**, Governor Mark R. Warner has proclaimed the Freedom Flag as the Commonwealth of Virginia's official symbol of September 11, 2001; and

**WHEREAS**, the Freedom Flag Foundation has created a campaign to have every school in the Commonwealth fly a Freedom Flag on Patriot's Day, September 10, 2004, in remembrance of the victims and heroes of September 11, 2001; and

**WHEREAS**, the Virginia Student Councils Association -- a K-12 state leadership organization -- and the Virginia Association of Secondary School Principals have proudly joined with the Freedom Flag Foundation in supporting the statewide Freedom Flag campaign: "Freedom Flags for Virginia Schools";

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the Lynchburg City Council does hereby proclaim its recognition and support of the "Freedom Flags for Virginia Schools" campaign and encourages area businesses and citizens to assist in providing Freedom Flags for each school within the Lynchburg City School division.

Adopted:

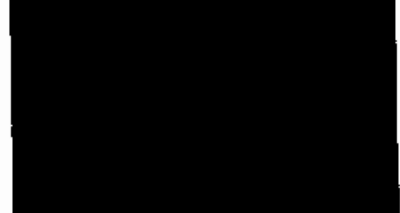
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Patricia W Kost/CityHall/COL  
06/22/2004 09:30 AM

To BremerM@aol.com  
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I need your full name, address and telephone number to add to your request.

Thank you.

Pat Kost

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You have been added to the agenda. If you have any questions please call Pat Kost, Clerk to Council.  
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